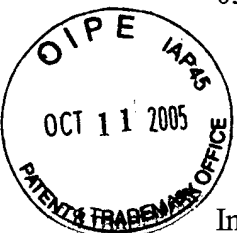


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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Geoffrey S. Mruk
MOTOKAZU KOBAYASHI, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2853
Application No.: 10/665,572)	
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Filed: September 22, 2003)	
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For: COMPOSITION FOR FORMING)	
PIEZOELECTRIC, METHOD	:	
FOR PRODUCING)	
PIEZOELECTRIC FILM,	:	
PIEZOELECTRIC ELEMENT)	
AND INK JET RECORDING	:	
HEAD)	October 7, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF PREVIOUSLY CITED DOCUMENT

Sir:

Applicants have not received an indication that Japan 60-236404, cited in the November 26, 2003 Information Disclosure Statement, has been considered and made formally of record. The Examiner drew a line through this citation on the copy of the Form PTO-1449 returned with the May 16, 2005 Office Action.

Consideration of this non-English language information is believed to be proper. In particular, C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3)(i) provides that a concise explanation of relevance may be incorporated in the specification. See MPEP § 609 III(A)(3). As noted

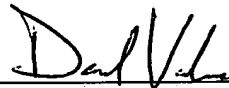
in the Information Disclosure Statement, Japan 60-236404 is discussed at pages 3 and 4 of the specification.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that Japan 60-236404 be considered by the Examiner and that the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

No fee is believed due; however, any fee deemed necessary may be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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